IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
		:	Examiner: D. England
KATSUTOSHI USHIDA)	
		:	Group Art Unit: 2143
Application No.: 09/588,683)	
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Filed: June 7, 2000)	
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For:	COMMUNICATION)	
	APPARATUS,	:	
	COMMUNICATION METHOD,)	
	COMMUNICATION SYSTEM,	:	
	AND STORAGE MEDIUM)	April 4, 2007

Mail Stop Petition Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 5, 2006 for one month from March 5, 2007 to April 5, 2007.

The \$120.00 fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 is being charged to Deposit Account No. 50-3939. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should also be charged or credited to Deposit Account 50-3939.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa,

California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to

our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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